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## LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING STATUS UPDATE

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to a routine review of the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system, it appears that the instant application has not been assigned an Examiner and no indication is provided as to when an action will be prepared. As the application was filed February 18, 2004, it is respectfully requested that an indication be provided as to when action will be taken on the instant application.

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